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STATEMENT OF OFFICER ADRIANNA KONDILIS
CONDUCTED BY INVESTIGATOR MIRANDA O'BOYLE
on 17 August 2017 at 6:24 a.m.
at the offices of the
Civilian Office of Police Accountability

LOG # 1085949
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1 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: This is the audio-recorded
2 interview of Officer Adrianna Kondilis reference Log No.
3 1085949/U#17-016. Today's date is August 17th, 2017 and
4 it is approximately 6:24 a.m. This statement is being
5 taken at the offices of the Civilian Office of Police
6 Accountability located at 1615 West Chicago Avenue. My
7 name is Investigator Miranda O'Boyle, M-i-r-a-n-d-a O'-
8 b-o-y-l-e. Investigator Norales Martinez is also present
9 with me. If you could please say and spell your name.

10 INVESTIGATOR MARTINEZ: Norales Martinez, N-o-r-a-l-
11 e-s, last name M-a-r-t-i-n-e-z.

12 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: And Officer Kondilis, if you
13 could say and spell your name, please.

14 OFFICER KONDILIS: Officer Kondilis, K-o-n-d-i-l-i-
15 s.

16 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: And are you accompanied by
17 counselor or a representative of your choosing?

18 OFFICER KONDILIS: Yes, I am.

19 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: And if you could say and
20 spell your name for record, please.

21 MS. RUSSELL: Jennifer Russell, J-e-n-n-i-f-e-r R-u-
22 s-s-e-l-l.

23 EXAMINATION

24 BY INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE:

1 Q And officer, what is your employee number?

2 A It's [REDACTED]

3 Q And what's your star number?

4 A 16371.

5 Q What is your current age and date of birth?

6 A I'm 24, [REDACTED]

7 Q And what's your date of appointment to the
8 Department?

9 A My date hire is --

10 Q Yes.

11 A -- October 31, 2016.

12 Q And what unit are you currently assigned to?

13 A So, right now, I'm still on my probationary
14 status, so it's still out of the academy, but then you're
15 detailed to a district. So, it's like the numbers like,
16 044 and then there's a dash 25, so --

17 Q Okay, so you're --

18 A -- the 25th District now.

19 Q Okay. And how long have been assigned to the
20 25th District under your probationary, or how long have
21 you been there?

22 A My first day was the day of the shooting.

23 Q So, July 16th.

24 A So the 15th, going into the 16th.

1 Q Okay. And are you aware that no allegations
2 have been made against you at this time?

3 A I'm sorry, can you repeat that?

4 Q Are you aware that no allegations have been
5 made against you at this time -- allegations of
6 misconduct?

7 A I'm not aware of any.

8 Q Okay. And are you prepared to give a statement
9 today?

10 A Yes, I am. This statement is not being given
11 voluntarily but under duress. I'm only giving this
12 statement at this time because I know that I could lose
13 my job if I refuse.

14 Q And Officer Kondilis, the digitally recording
15 device that is being used to record your statement is
16 very sensitive, and will pick up any whispered
17 conversations that occur in its proximity. If you would
18 like to request a break during this statement, you can do
19 so verbally, or by stating you would like a break, or
20 nonverbally by raising your hand. Do you understand?

21 A I understand.

22 Q Are you aware that this statement has the
23 standing of an official Department report, and that any
24 intentional falsification of any answer to any question

1 would be in direct violation of the Department Rules and
2 Regulations?

3 A I understand.

4 Q And given that, I would like to remind you that
5 failure to provide a complete and accurate statement
6 could result in a Rule 14 violation and disciplinary
7 action up to and including separation. Do you
8 understand?

9 A Yes.

10 Q And on July 15th or 16th, what was your duty
11 status on this day?

12 A What do you mean by that, like?

13 Q Were you on-duty?

14 A Yes.

15 Q And who was your assigned partner for that day?

16 A Clapa (phonetic).

17 Q And do you remember your Beat number?

18 A I think it was 31 Robert.

19 Q So, that would have been 2531 Robert?

20 A Uh-hum.

21 Q Okay. And on this particular date, do you
22 recall receiving notification, or responding to an
23 incident at around 3:00 a.m.?

24 A Well, it wasn't our job --

1 Q Okay.

2 A -- initially. We heard it over the radio that
3 they needed assistance.

4 Q Okay. So there was a call out over the radio
5 for assistance.

6 A Right, uh-hum.

7 Q And do you remember where you guys were at when
8 you received the call out over the radio, or when you
9 heard?

10 A When we heard it, we had just gone down on
11 lunch, and we were heading toward the station. We're on
12 Diversey.

13 Q Okay. So, when you heard the call out over the
14 radio, what happened?

15 A We decided to get off of lunch. We heard the
16 sirens, and we seen two squad cars heading down Diversey,
17 and we followed.

18 Q Okay. Do you recall what direction you were
19 heading down Diversey?

20 A It was towards Mulligan. I'm not really good
21 with directions, so I don't know which direction.

22 Q Okay. Do you remember who was driving that
23 night?

24 A Clapa was driving.

1 Q Okay. So, if you're -- when you're driving
2 down Diversey, did you end up turning on Mulligan, or did
3 you stay on Diversey?

4 A We turned.

5 Q And do you remember if he turned left or right?

6 A I don't remember.

7 Q Okay.

8 A I believe it was right, though.

9 Q All right. So, now you're on Mulligan, did you
10 stay -- did the vehicle stay on Mulligan, or did you guys
11 turn in the alley? Where was your car position?

12 A We didn't turn in the alley.

13 Q Okay. So, where was your car positioned, if
14 you recall?

15 A It was on another side street. I don't --

16 Q Okay. So it was just parked on the side
17 street?

18 A Yeah.

19 Q Okay. Upon parking the vehicle, what happened
20 next?

21 A We got out of the car. I followed my partner
22 and then --

23 Q So, when you got out of the car and you
24 followed your partner, did you guys enter the alley, or

1 how did you get to the location of the scene?

2 A We went through the alley and --

3 Q Okay. So you went through the alley. Was it a
4 t-alley? Was it a straight alley?

5 A It was a t-alley.

6 Q Okay. And when you're running through the
7 alley, what did you see?

8 A I just followed my partner, but there was
9 already other officers. But the way that the squad car --
10 it was a squad car -- was positioned, I didn't see -- I
11 didn't see any -- I seen just my partner was in front of
12 me.

13 Q Uh-hum.

14 A There was a sergeant, and I -- there were other
15 officers. I don't remember who.

16 Q Okay. So there was one squad car in the alley?

17 A Yes, it was positioned like on an angle.

18 Q Okay. On an angle, I guess was it angled in
19 the t-part of the alley, or where was it angled at?

20 A I believe it was the t-part.

21 Q Okay. And were you able to see another vehicle
22 in the alley?

23 A I didn't see any.

24 Q Okay. So, as you were following your partner,

1 and you see the squad car, where did you position
2 yourself, or where were you standing in relation to the
3 squad car?

4 A I was behind.

5 Q So you're in the back end of the squad car?

6 A Uh-hum.

7 Q Okay. And did you hear anything at that time?

8 A I heard like, "Get back. Gun. Don't touch the
9 gun. Drop the gun."

10 Q Okay, and then what happened?

11 A I heard shots fired.

12 Q Okay. We're you still on the back end of --

13 A Uh-hum.

14 Q -- of the squad at this time? Were you able to
15 see any weapons being discharged?

16 A I don't remember. I don't think so.

17 Q Okay. So, then you hear -- you hear shots
18 fired, and then what happens next?

19 A I think -- well, I couldn't see any of this,
20 but after something like that would happen, you'd
21 handcuff, you know, the offender.

22 Q Okay. Just tell me what you seen then.

23 A Okay. I didn't see.

24 Q So you're still standing at the back of the

1 SUV. You hear shots fired.

2 A Right.

3 Q Do you see any other officers at this time?
4 Are you able to see any of them, anybody that was present
5 on scene?

6 A Just, you know, my partner.

7 Q Okay.

8 A I seen him --

9 Q So, you see --

10 A -- there were --

11 Q -- Officer Clapa.

12 A Yes, he was in front of me. But I more towards
13 this way. He was that way.

14 Q So, you were more towards -- just for -- so the
15 recording can pick up. You're more towards the rear of
16 the vehicle --

17 A Right.

18 Q -- and maybe he was more towards the
19 passenger's side. Is that what you're indicating?

20 A No.

21 Q Okay. If you could explain like his
22 positioning in relation to the vehicle, the squad car, if
23 you recall.

24 MS. RUSSELL: (Inaudible 0:08:37.2) right after?

1 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: Yeah, right after.

2 BY INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE:

3 Q So like you hear --

4 A Oh --

5 Q -- the shots --

6 A -- right after --

7 Q -- yeah.

8 A -- everything? You know, I don't remember.

9 Q Okay. So as you're approaching, do you
10 remember where he's positioning himself?

11 A As we're approaching, just in front -- like in
12 front of me, but I guess off to the right --

13 Q Okay.

14 A -- more.

15 Q Okay.

16 A Okay?

17 Q And so you hear the shots fired, do you see any
18 officers come into your peripheral vision at that time?

19 A I don't remember.

20 Q Okay. And then after you hear the shots fired,
21 what happens next? Do you hear anything?

22 A I don't remember.

23 Q Okay. Do you see anything happen after the
24 shots are fired?

1 A Well, after that -- basically after that
2 happened, my partner and I, our job was just to secure
3 the crime scene.

4 Q Okay. So, everybody -- were -- was every --
5 all the passengers in the car taken into custody at that
6 time?

7 A They were removed from the car.

8 Q Okay. Were you able to see them being removed
9 from the car?

10 A I wasn't.

11 Q And, at any point in time did you see a weapon
12 that would have been from the civilian vehicle?

13 A Well, it was on the ground.

14 Q Okay. So, did you actually see the weapon on
15 the ground?

16 A Yes, since we were supposed to secure the crime
17 scene.

18 Q Okay. And do you remember the positioning of
19 the weapon, where it was located?

20 A I don't.

21 Q Okay. Who was assigned to stay on the weapon
22 that was recovered on the scene, if you recall?

23 A I don't --

24 MS. RUSSELL: Okay, what was your question again?

1 BY OFFICER O'BOYLE:

2 Q Just, who was assigned to like watch the weapon
3 that was recovered on the scene to make sure nobody
4 touched it or moved it?

5 A My partner and I.

6 Q Okay. So, you guys were watching to make sure
7 nobody was touching the gun. And do you remember, were
8 any of the occupants of the vehicle saying anything while
9 you guys were trying to secure the scene?

10 A I don't remember.

11 Q Okay. And since you were standing at the rear
12 of the squad car, at any point in time did you see any of
13 the actual interaction between any of the officers and
14 the involved civilian that they were talking to regarding
15 the weapon?

16 A I don't remember.

17 Q Okay. Do you remember the weapon that was
18 recovered on the scene being handled at any point in
19 time, or did you witness it being handled at any point in
20 time by any of the civilians?

21 A I didn't see it.

22 Q Okay. So the only time you seen the weapon was
23 after --

24 A Right, after --

1 Q -- the --

2 A -- it happened.

3 Q -- after this incident occurred. Okay.

4 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: Do you have any questions?

5 INVESTIGATOR MARTINEZ: No.

6 BY INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE:

7 Q Is there anything else you wish to add to this
8 statement that I didn't cover?

9 A No.

10 Q Okay. Is this a true and accurate account of
11 what occurred on July 16th, 2017?

12 A Yes.

13 INVESTIGATOR O'BOYLE: This now concludes the
14 digitally recorded statement of Officer Adrianna
15 Kondilis, Star No. 16374, regarding Log No. 1085949/U#17-
16 016 on August 17th, 2017, and it is approximately 6:37
17 a.m.

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11 and further, that I am not counsel for nor in any
12 way interested in the outcome thereof.

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15 hand this 21st day of August, 2017.

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